





Doings at Ottawa.

Everyone is just now on the tip of expectation, looking for the news from Ottawa that is to decide the fate of the Macdonald Administration. The newspapers of this city pay for telegraphic news from Ottawa, as well as from Washington, New Orleans or Memphis, but while we are almost daily inundated with dispatches from every hole and corner of the States, of no earthly interest to British Columbia readers, there appears to be special care taken that not a scrap of news from the capital of the Dominion shall cross the wires but such as come through private sources, and are paid extra for. If a murder takes place in New Orleans, or a street fight between a pair of roughs in New York city, we are duly apprised of the fact, with all the disgusting particulars; but although the Parliament of Canada has now been in session for a fortnight, and events are there transpiring fraught with the deepest interest to the people of this Province, the telegraph has not given us the faintest glimpse of news from that quarter, save what came in the way of private telegrams, and charged for accordingly. The Telegraph Company doubtless consider this a legitimate method of doing business, to extort the utmost dollar from newspaper publishers they can command, and give them in return for their money just as little news of interest to their readers as they can possibly help. Up to the present time no news has been received as to result of the debate on Mr. Mackenzie's motion, condemning the Government for its course in relation to the Huntington charges, but it may come now at any moment. From the dispatches already received, there is very good reason to fear that the days of the Macdonald Government are numbered, or at least that the vote on Mackenzie's motion will go against them. Whether a vote adverse to the Government will lead to a Ministerial resignation, or to a dissolution of the House, is uncertain. No doubt Sir John Macdonald would recommend the latter course, but whether the Governor General would act upon the advice of a Ministry that had been defeated by a vote of the House, is very questionable, and more particularly under the circumstances which had led to their defeat. However the vote may be, neither side of the House will have much to boast of, so far as a working majority is concerned. It is not unlikely, therefore, even if Mr. Mackenzie should be called upon to form a Government, that he will advise the Governor-General to dissolve the House, hoping to strengthen his hands by a direct appeal to the people. British Columbia can scarcely feel otherwise than to regret the defeat of Sir John Macdonald, should such an event really happen. From him they had reason to expect much, from Mackenzie very little. The policy of the one was a bold progressive one, that of the other, if their future actions should agree with their past utterances, will be the very opposite. Therefore, viewing the matter from a purely selfish standpoint, and entirely apart from the question as to whether they have or have not been guilty of conduct to merit dismissal from office, we cannot help but feel that British Columbia will suffer both loss and disappointment should Sir John's Administration go out of office at this particular juncture of our affairs. It will certainly be a loss, for a year, if not longer, the commencement of the railway, and the whole would be a serious drawback to the prosperity of this Province. We do not apprehend that the new Government would attempt to ignore the agreement made by their predecessors with the Government of this Province, although they might delay its fulfillment in the time agreed upon. On the other hand, in order to stand well in the estimation of British Columbians, and secure the support of their representatives, they might suddenly become obnoxious to all their past professions of hostility to the railway policy of their predecessors, and take the work in hand themselves and push it through with all the vigor they could command. Let us hope so, for it will be the case, should fortune so favor them as to place them in possession of the seals of office.

**Marshal Bazaine's Record.**  
Previous to the war so disastrous to France and so destructive to the military reputation of her chiefs, Marshal Bazaine's record as a soldier was a brilliant one. After finishing a petty course of study at the Ecole Polytechnique, he entered the army in 1821, when he was twenty years old, was sent to Africa in the year following, and in the arduous service of the campaign there, so distinguished himself that he was promoted to the grade of Lieutenant in 1828, and received the Cross of the Legion of Honor on the battle field for his bravery and skill. After serving in Spain in the campaign against the Carlists, he returned to Algeria with the rank of Captain in 1839, and took part in all the most notable expeditions of the war there. When the Crimean war broke out, Captain Bazaine was promoted to the command of a brigade of infantry, and during the siege of Sebastopol conducted himself with such bravery as to merit honorable mention in the dispatches of Marshal Gansobert and P. Lissier. He subsequently was made a Division General, and commanded the French portion of the expedition which reduced Kinburn. At the close of the war in the East, he was appointed Inspector of several expeditions of infantry, and had the dignity of Commander of the Legion of Honor conferred on him, and subsequently, in 1863, received the Grand Cross. In 1862 he took command of the Mexican expedition, succeeding General Forey, and so far as military force could effect them, was successful in obtaining the objects of that ill-starred campaign. Marshal Bazaine commanded one of the main divisions of the French army when the Franco-Prussian war commenced. Only a small portion of his command took part in the battle of Forbach, where General Frossard was so thoroughly defeated by the Prussian Commander Von Goben. One of the charges against the Marshal is that he permitted to advance to Frossard's aid in sufficient strength to be of any use.

DAVID GREEN as Government street, announces that he can't be beat. Vests, coats, and pants, he'll sell cheap. In all styles and gives he has a heap. Depart at once his benefits to reap. Go to Caesar mines is the cry. Beside at Green's your clothes to buy; Every article can be suited there. Each article warranted not to tear. Now go while you have the cash to spare.

New Advertisements.

THE VIVIAN BENEFIT TO THE ROYAL HOSPITAL.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Victoria, Nov. 6, 1873.  
To Wm. Dalry, Esq., Mayor, Chairman of the Directors Royal Hospital:  
Sir—When in your city upwards of a year ago, it was my desire and intention, in response to the generous support I then received at the hands of the public of Victoria, to have rendered a benefit performance in that most worthy institution, the Royal Hospital. From my engagements in San Francisco, however, prevented me at that time from carrying out that intention, but it affords me great pleasure, now that I find myself once more in Victoria, to ask you, on behalf of the Royal Hospital, to accept my services for Saturday Evening next. I may add that Mr. Schaeffer promises the free use of his beautiful Philharmonic Hall for the occasion, and that the entire proceeds of the entertainment may be turned into the Hospital Treasury.  
I have the honor to be,  
Your obedient servant,  
CHARLES VIVIAN.

REPLY.

Victoria, B.C., Nov. 6, 1873.  
Dear Sir—The undersigned, on behalf of the Board of Directors of the Royal Hospital, beg to acknowledge the receipt of your favor of this date, in which you very kindly tender a BENEFIT to assist the funds of the Royal Hospital.  
It is with great pleasure the Board accept your kind offer, and in returning their very sincere thanks, trust that the occasion may be eminently successful in so good and praiseworthy an object.  
We have the honor to be,  
Your obedient servants,  
W. DALRY (Chairman),  
H. A. TUDOR,  
J. E. ROBERTSON,  
J. McQUADE,  
JAMES LOWE.

The Company's Generous Offer.

St. Nicholas Hotel, Victoria, B.C., November 6th, 1873.

CHAR. VIVIAN, ESQ.,  
Dear Sir—Understanding that you have promised to give proceeds of an evening's entertainment to the Royal Hospital Fund of this city, we, the undersigned members of your company, desire to co-operate with you in so charitable a purpose, therefore we most willingly offer you our gratuitous services for the occasion.  
We are, dear Sir,  
Yours most faithfully,  
JENNIE REIFFARTH,  
G. W. JESTER,  
H. A. TUDOR,  
HARRY J. LASK,  
Business Manager,  
THOS. THOMPSON,  
Advance Agent.

Esq. of Fell & Finlayson.  
NOTICE TO CREDITORS.  
A DIVIDEND OF TEN PER CENT. will be payable at the office of Messrs. Norris & Wylie Government Street, on and after Monday, the 10th inst.

GEORGE J. FINDLAY,  
MATTHEW T. JOHNSON, Assignees.  
J. RUFFY,  
Victoria, B.C., November 7th, 1873.

I. O. O. F.

THE OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF Victoria Lodge No. 4, are hereby notified to meet at the Lodge Room, on Sunday, the 9th inst., at 12 o'clock noon, to attend the funeral of our late Brother A. H. GUILD.  
By order of the N. G.,  
J. WAGLEWORTH, Sec. Secretary.

I. O. O. F.

THE OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF Victoria Lodge No. 2, are hereby notified to meet at the Lodge Room, on Sunday, the 9th inst., at 12 o'clock noon, to attend the funeral of our late Brother A. H. GUILD.  
By order of the N. G.,  
J. WAGLEWORTH, Sec. Secretary.

I. O. O. F.

THE OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF Victoria Lodge No. 1, are hereby notified to meet at the Lodge Room, on Sunday, the 9th inst., at 12 o'clock noon, to attend the funeral of our late Brother A. H. GUILD.  
By order of the N. G.,  
J. WAGLEWORTH, Sec. Secretary.

I. O. O. F.

A SPECIAL MEETING OF VICTORIA Lodge No. 1, is hereby called by request, to be held at the Lodge Room on Friday Evening next, the 8th inst., at 8 o'clock.  
By order of the N. G.,  
A. R. PARTRIDGE, Secretary.

I. O. O. F.

A MEETING OF THE Past Grand will be held at the Victoria Lodge No. 1, on Saturday, the 9th inst., at 8 o'clock P.M., for the transaction of business. It is to be then and there brought before it. All Past Grand Lodges in the District are invited to attend.  
A. R. PARTRIDGE, Secretary Victoria Lodge No. 1.  
Victoria, B.C., Nov. 6th, 1873.

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PROGRAMME OF RACES.

FOR THE

Prince of Wales' Birthday

Monday, 10 Nov., 1873.

STEWARDS—Hon. Capt. Here, Lieut. Colonel Houghton, Capt. Collins, Capt. Layton.

OFFICIALS—Judge, A. Hunter, Esq.; Starter, Capt. Layton; Clerk of the Scales, T. B. Humphreys, Esq.; Clerk of the Course, C. Varcoe, Esq.

ONE O'CLOCK.

TRIAL STAKES of \$5 each, with \$50 added; weight for age, distance 1 mile.

1:30 O'CLOCK.

PRINCE OF WALES' CUP, of \$5 each, with Cup, value \$50; weight for age, distance 1 mile.

2:30 O'CLOCK.

BEACON PARK STAKES, of \$5 each with \$50 added, over 4 hurdles, weight 11 stone, (164 lbs) heats, distance 1 mile.

3:30 O'CLOCK.

EQUIMIL STAKES for horses nominated and ridden by Officers of Her Majesty's Navy, catch weights, distance 1 mile.

4 O'CLOCK.

CONJUNCTION STAKES for beaten horses of \$2 1/2 each with \$25 added; Catch weights, distance 1/2 mile.

The above programme is proposed to be carried out if sufficient funds are collected.

SCHEDULE OF WEIGHTS.—3 years old, 9 stone; 4 years old 9 stone 12 lbs.; 5 years and aged 10 stone 5 lbs.

RULES AND REGULATIONS.

1. These Races will be run (strictly) according to the English-Jockey Club Rules.

2. Horses to be entered before 6 p.m. on Friday the 7th November with age and description of the same, in full.

New Advertisements.

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A Great Bill will be presented.

Come One! Come All.

Admission 50c; Back Seats 50c; Box Office open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Philharmonic Hall.

Rewards as in without extra charge.

Doors open at 7:30; to commence at 8.

I. O. O. F.

OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF VICTORIA Lodge No. 1, are hereby notified to meet at the Lodge Room, on Sunday, the 9th inst., at 12 o'clock noon, to attend the funeral of our late Brother A. H. GUILD.

Members of sister Lodges are invited to attend.

By order of the N. G.,

A. R. PARTRIDGE, Secretary.

I. O. O. F.

THE OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF

Columbia Lodge No. 2, are hereby notified to meet at the Lodge Room, on Sunday, the 9th inst., at 12 o'clock noon, to attend the funeral of our late Brother A. H. GUILD.

All Past Grand Lodges in the District are invited to attend.

By order of the N. G.,

JOS. W. CARNEY, Sec. Secretary.

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A. R. PARTRIDGE, Secretary Victoria Lodge No. 1.

Victoria, B.C., Nov. 6th, 1873.

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will take place on Saturday the 23rd November, 1873, at Mr. J. K. Brown's Farm, South Saanich, East Road.

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Amount of Land to be Plowed One-third Imperial Acre. Plowing to begin at 9 A.M.

ALEX. ANDERSON, Jr., Secretary

APPOINTMENTS.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,

31st October, 1873.

His Excellency the LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR

has been pleased to appoint R. H. FIDOCOP, Esq., J. P. to be a "Deputy" and for the Electoral District of Omineca.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,

31st October, 1873.

His Excellency the LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR

has been pleased to place the following gentlemen on the Council of the Peace for the Province of British Columbia:

W. A. ROBERTSON, of Omineca, Esq.,

JOSEPH FERGUSON, of Nanaimo, Esq.,

THEATRE ROYAL,

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MR. J. H. CHURCH HAVING LEASED

Mmd. Laura A. Stevenson

The above Theatre, he begs to inform the public of Vic-

toria that he will on no time or expense in re-erecting and repairing the entire building so as to render it a comfortable and desirable place of amusement during the coming winter season, when dramatic and other stars will appear, supported by a First Class Company.

Persons wishing to rent the Theatre for Concerts or entertainments are requested to make application to Mr. J. H. Church.

Removal.

MR. DIGNY PALMER HAS REMOVED

to the opposite side of Fort street, next door to Captain Wyle's residence.

Notice

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT

by virtue of a deed of assignment, the interest of Richard Bradrick in the firm of R. Bradrick and Company is now vested in me the undersigned.

FRANCIS GARECHIN

Victoria, Oct. 22, 1873.

Department of Marine & Fisheries

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

A BURNING SHIP HAS BEEN PLACED ON THE

extreme Eastern Point of Gabriola Island, Straits of Georgia.

The Beacon shows an Iron Cage Ball 6 feet in diameter painted black. 25 feet above high water mark. Mariners should not approach the Beacon within half a mile.

JAMES COOPER, Agent. cc15m

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 12th, 1873

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For further particulars application may be made to ROBERT A. FITZGERALD, Book Day, Victoria.

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**OLD SORES AND OLD SKIN DISEASES.**  
The seeds of these disorders are effectually expelled by this penetrating Unguent, not only from the superficial part, but from the internal tissues likewise. Any case, even if of 20 years standing

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these famous Pills night and morning,  
and rub the Ointment most effectually  
twice a day into the suffering parts, and  
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Bad Legs	Vitulus
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and Sand-Flies.	Rheumatism
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Obligro-foot	Sore Nipples
Chilblains	Sore-throats
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